

In the Claims:

Attached is a marked up version of the rewritten or newly added claims as required under rule 37 C.F.R. 1.121 (c)(ii).

Claims 1-45 were canceled by prior amendment.

46. (Withdrawn) A portable fencing system useful for forming a barricade, said system comprising:

a corner post fixture having a central post member removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an end of the barricade;

at least one length of fence wire, said corner post fixture having means for securing said fence wire thereto; and

said corner post fixture further comprises a rigid positionable brace member having an anchor for securing said corner post fixture at a shallow ground penetration depth, wherein the rigid positionable brace member is located outbound from the fence wire, wherein the central post member goes into compression and the brace member anchor is pulled against the ground segment when said length of fence wire is tightened.

47. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 46 further comprises a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an end of a barricade.

48. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein said winch corner fixture includes a main support frame having at least three mounting portions angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main support frame.

49. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of brackets each attached on one of said mounting portions of said main support

frame and adapted to have a portion of said fence wire secured about a selected one of said brackets.

50. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of said mounting portions such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said mounting portions of said support frame from one another.

51. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 50 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of said leg members, wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said leg members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

52. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 51 wherein said stake portion extends at about a 90° angle to said leg member.

53. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a winch assembly mounted upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof.

54. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 53 further comprising a winch assembly having a first and second strand of fence wire extended therefrom, said first strand secured to a first position on said corner post fixture and connected to a selected one of said fence wire brackets, and said second strand secured to a second position on said corner post fixture and tied to a selected one of said fence wire brackets.

55. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a pair of winch assemblies mounted upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof.

56. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 further comprising a plurality of winch corner fixtures to provide a desired length of fence wire for said system.

57. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 wherein the length of fence wire is storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture, said winch corner fixture having means for securing said fence wire thereto.

58. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 46 wherein a portion of the length of fence wire is secured to a winch corner fixture anchor bracket.

59. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 46 wherein said corner post fixture includes at least two rigid positionable brace members, each having a support bracket, wherein said support bracket is independently adjustably mounted on said central post member between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace members being pivotally mounted to one of said support brackets such that said brace members are angularly displaced from one another about said central post member and each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member.

60. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 59 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a pair of ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said brace members, each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward a central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said brace members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

61. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 59 wherein said corner post fixture includes a step bracket anchor stake attached to an end of said central post member, said step bracket anchor stake having an angled step portion and a stake portion insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said angled step portion.

62. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 59 wherein said wire securing means of said corner post fixture is at least one wire securing device mounted on said central post member.

63. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 further comprises at least one spacer post locatable between and spaced from said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture and removably attachable on a ground segment, said spacer post having means for engaging said fence wire.

64. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 63 wherein said spacer post includes:
a post backbone, said wire engaging means being at least one wire guiding device mounted on said post backbone; and
a ground anchor stake mounted to an end of said post backbone so as to be insertable into the ground segment for holding said post backbone in place on the ground segment.

65. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 64 wherein said spacer post further includes a step bracket mounted to said post backbone adjacent to said end thereof and having a spike attached to and extending downward from said step bracket such that said spike is insertable in the ground segment by stepping on said step bracket.

66. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 further comprising mounting point device means functioning to support and thereby assist setting up of said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture on a ground segment of a character lacking in strength normally required to accommodate the setting up of said fixtures, said fixtures each having at least one anchor stake located at ground ends thereof.

67. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 66 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a support base member and penetration means extending downwardly from said support base member, said penetration means functioning to enhance the anchorage of said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture when said one of said anchor stakes is inserted into a hole in the support base member and placed into a ground segment.

68. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 67 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a handle to facilitate extraction of said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

69. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 47 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted, said fixtures each having at least one anchor stake located at ground ends thereof.

70. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 69 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

71. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 70 wherein said upper member has an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

72. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 63 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said spacer post on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

73. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 72 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a surface mounting block having a central hole for receiving a ground anchor stake of said spacer post.

74. (Withdrawn) A portable fencing system useful for forming an enclosure arrangement, said system comprising:

a plurality of corner post fixtures each having a central post member removably anchorable on a ground segment, each of said corner post fixtures providing a corner of the enclosure arrangement;

at least one length of fence wire, each of said corner post fixture having means for securing said fence wire thereto; and

each of said corner post fixtures further comprises a rigid positionable brace member having an anchor for securing each corner post fixture at a shallow ground penetration depth, wherein each rigid positionable brace member is located outbound from the fence wire, wherein each central post member goes into compression and each brace member anchor is pulled against the ground segment when said length of fence wire is tightened.

75. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 74 further comprises a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an end of a barricade.

76. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein said winch corner fixture includes a main support frame having at least three mounting portions angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main support frame.

77. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of brackets each attached on one of said mounting portions of said main support frame and adapted to have a portion of said fence wire secured about a selected one of said brackets.

78. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of

said mounting portions of said main support frame such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said mounting portions of said support frame from one another.

79. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 78 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of said leg members, wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said leg members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

80. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 79 wherein said stake portion extends at about a 90° angle to said leg member.

81. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a winch assembly mounted upon said main support frame.

82. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 81 further comprising a winch assembly having a first and second strand of fence wire extended therefrom, said first strand secured to a first position on said corner post fixture and connected to a selected one of said fence wire brackets, and said second strand secured to a second position on said corner post fixture and tied to a selected one of said fence wire brackets.

83. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a pair of winch assemblies mounted upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof.

84. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 further comprising a plurality of winch corner fixtures to provide a desired length of fence wire for said system.

85. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 wherein the length of fence wire is storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said fixtures and past said post, said winch corner fixture having means for securing said fence wire thereto.

86. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 74 wherein a portion of the length of fence wire is secured to a winch corner fixture anchor bracket.

87. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 74 wherein said corner post fixture includes at least two rigid positionable brace members each having a support bracket, wherein said support bracket is independently adjustably mounted on said central post member between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace members being pivotally mounted to one of said support brackets such that said brace members are angularly displaced from one another about said central post member and each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member.

88. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 87 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a pair of ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said brace members, each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward a central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said brace members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

89. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 87 wherein said corner post fixture includes a step bracket anchor stake attached to an end of said central post member, said step bracket anchor stake having an angled step portion and a stake portion insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said angled step portion.

90. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 87 wherein said wire securing means of said corner post fixture is at least one wire securing device mounted on said central post member.

91. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 further comprises a plurality of spacer posts spaced from one another and locatable between and spaced from said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixtures and removably attachable on still other ground segments, said spacer post having means for engaging said fence wire.

92. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 91 wherein said spacer post includes:
a post backbone;
at least one wire guiding device mounted on said post backbone; and
a ground anchor stake mounted to an end of said post backbone so as to be insertable into the ground segment for securing the post backbone in place on the ground segment.

93. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 92 wherein said spacer post further includes a step bracket mounted to said post backbone adjacent to said end thereof and having a spike attached to and extending downward from said step bracket such that said spike is insertable in the ground segment by stepping on said step bracket.

94. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 further comprising mounting point device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of one of said winch corner fixtures and said corner post fixtures on a ground segment of a character lacking in the strength normally required to accommodate the setup of said fixtures, said fixtures each having at least one anchor stake located at ground ends thereof.

95. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 94 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a support base member and penetration means extending downwardly from said support base member, said penetration means functioning to enhance the anchorage of said one of said winch corner fixtures and said corner post fixtures when said one of said anchor stakes is inserted into a hole in the support base member and placed into a ground segment.

96. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 95 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a handle to facilitate extraction of said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

97. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 75 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said one of said winch corner fixtures and said corner post fixtures on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted, said fixtures each having at least one anchor stake located at ground ends thereof.

98. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 97 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

99. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 98, wherein said upper member has an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

100. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 91 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said spacer post on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

101. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 100 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a surface mounting block having a central hole for receiving a ground anchor stake of said spacer post.

102. (presently amended) A winch corner fixture useful in a portable fencing system, comprising:

- a non-telescoping main support frame having at least three mounting portions |
angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main
support frame;

at least two means functioning to secure portions of a fence wire to said main support frame;

a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of said three mounting portions of said main support frame such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said three mounting portions of said support frame from one another; and

a winch assembly supported on said main support frame above said three mounting portions thereof.

103. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 wherein the fixture is removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an end of a barricade.

104. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 further comprising a plurality of at least three ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said leg members and adapted to be inserted into a ground segment by stepping thereon.

105. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 104 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said leg member such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

106. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 105 wherein said stake portion extends at about a 90° angle to said leg member.

107. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 wherein said fence wire portions securing means is a plurality of brackets attached to said main support frame adjacent to said three mounting portions thereof and adapted for securing a portion of the fence wire to a selected one of said brackets.

108. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 wherein the winch assembly further comprises a length of fence wire storable thereon and extendable therefrom.

109. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 wherein the winch assembly further comprises a first and second strand of fence wire extended therefrom, wherein a portion of said first strand is secured to a selected one of said securing means and a portion of said second strand is secured to a selected one of said securing means.

110. (currently amended) The fixture of claim 102 ~~further comprising a pair of winch assemblies mounted upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof, wherein~~ the winch assembly further comprises a bracket having a fastener to the main support frame, said bracket being rotatable in orientation to the main support frame.

111. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 102 wherein a portion of the length of fence wire is secured to a winch corner fixture anchor bracket.

112. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 104 further comprising a mounting point device adapted to support one of said ground anchor stakes and thereby assist setup of said winch corner fixture on a ground segment of a character lacking in the strength normally required to accommodate the setting up of said fixture.

113. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 112 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a support base member and penetration means extending downwardly from said support base member, said penetration means functioning to enhance the

anchorage of said fixture when said one of said anchor stakes is inserted into a hole in the support base member and placed into a ground segment.

114. (previously presented) The fixture of claim 113 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a handle to facilitate extraction of said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

115. (previously presented) The system of claim 104 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said fixture on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

116. (previously presented) The system of claim 115 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

117. (previously presented) The system of claim 116 wherein said upper member has an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

118. (withdrawn) A corner post fixture useful in a portable fencing system, comprising:

- a central post member;

- a pair of rigid positionable brace members, each depending at an acute angle from the central post member;

- a pair of support brackets each separate from the other and independently adjustably mounted on said central post member between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace members being pivotally mounted to one of said support brackets such that said brace members are angularly displaced from one another about said central post member and each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member;

an anchor stake attached to a ground end of the central post member;
wherein the stake is insertable into a ground surface without rotation; and
wherein the brace members are placed in tension to support the central post member
when a force is applied away from the brace members.

119. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 118 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a pair of the ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said brace members and adapted to be inserted into a ground segment by stepping thereon.

120. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 119 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward a central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said brace member such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

121. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 118 further comprising a step bracket anchor stake attached to an end of said central post member, said step bracket anchor stake having an angled step portion and a stake portion insertable into the ground by stepping on said angled step portion.

122. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 118 wherein said central post member has means for securing portions of a fence wire thereto.

123. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 118 further comprising a mounting point device adapted to support one of said ground anchor stakes and thereby assist setup of said corner post fixture on a ground segment of a character lacking in the strength normally required to accommodate the setting up of said fixture.

124. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 123 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a support base member and penetration means extending downwardly from said support base member, said penetration means functioning to enhance the anchorage of said fixture

when an anchor stake attached to an end of one of said brace members is inserted into a hole in the support base member and placed into a ground segment.

125. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 124 wherein said mounting point device means further comprises a handle to facilitate extraction of said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

126. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 118 further comprising surface mounting device means functioning to support and thereby assist setup of said fixture on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

127. (withdrawn) The fixture of claim 126 wherein said surface mounting device means further comprises a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

128. (withdrawn) The system of claim 127 wherein said upper member has an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes.

129. (withdrawn) (Original claims 4+2+1 less spacer post element) A portable fencing system useful for forming a barricade, said system comprising:

- a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing one end of a barricade;

- a corner post fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an opposite end of the barricade;

- at least one length of fence wire storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said fixtures, said winch corner fixture and corner post fixture each having means for securing said fence wire thereto;

wherein said winch corner fixture includes a main support frame having at least three mounting portions angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main support frame; and

wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of said mounting portions such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said mounting portions of said support frame from one another.

130. (withdrawn) The system of claim 129 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said leg members.

131. (withdrawn) The system of claim 130 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said leg members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

132. (withdrawn) The system of claim 131 wherein said stake portion extends at about a 90° angle to said leg member.

133. (withdrawn) (Original claims 9+1 less spacer post element) A portable fencing system useful for forming a barricade, said system comprising:

a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing one end of a barricade;

a corner post fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing an opposite end of the barricade;

at least one length of fence wire storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said fixtures, said winch corner fixture and corner post fixture each having means for securing said fence wire thereto; and wherein said corner post fixture further comprises a central post member, a pair of rigid positionable brace members, and a pair of support brackets each separate from the other and independently adjustably mounted on said central post member between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace members being pivotally mounted to one of said support brackets such that said brace members are angularly displaced from one another about said central post member and each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member.

134. (withdrawn) The system of claim 133 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a pair of ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said brace members.

135. (withdrawn) The system of claim 134 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said brace members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

136. (withdrawn) The system of claim 133 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a step bracket anchor stake attached to an end of said central post member, said step bracket anchor stake having an angled step portion and a stake portion insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said angled step portion.

137. (withdrawn) The system of claim 133 wherein said wire securing means of said corner post fixture is at least one wire securing device mounted on said central post member.

138. (withdrawn) (Original claims 20+19+18 less spacer post element) A portable fencing system useful for forming an enclosure arrangement, said system comprising:

a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing one corner of an enclosure arrangement;

a plurality of corner post fixtures removably anchorable on other ground segments for providing other corners of the enclosure arrangement;

at least one length of fence wire storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said fixtures, said winch corner fixture and corner post fixture each having means for securing said fence wire thereto;

wherein said winch corner fixture includes a main support frame having at least three mounting portions angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main support frame; and

wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of brackets each attached on one of said mounting portions of said main support frame and adapted to have a portion of said fence wire secured about a selected one of said brackets.

139. (withdrawn) The system of claim 138 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of said mounting portions of said main support frame such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said mounting portions of said support frame from one another.

140. (withdrawn) The system of claim 139 wherein said winch corner fixture further includes a plurality of at least three ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said leg members.

141. (withdrawn) The system of claim 140 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said leg members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

142. (withdrawn) The system of claim 141 wherein said stake portion extends at about a 90° angle to said leg member.

143. (withdrawn) (Original claims 26+18 less spacer post element) A portable fencing system useful for forming an enclosure arrangement, said system comprising:

a winch corner fixture removably anchorable on a ground segment for providing one corner of an enclosure arrangement;

a plurality of corner post fixtures removably anchorable on other ground segments for providing other corners of the enclosure arrangement;

at least one length of fence wire storable on said winch corner fixture and extendable therefrom so as to extend between said fixtures, said winch corner fixture and corner post fixture each having means for securing said fence wire thereto; and

wherein said corner post fixture includes a central post member, a pair of rigid positionable brace members, and a pair of support brackets each separate from the other and independently adjustably mounted on said central post member between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace members being pivotally mounted to one of said support brackets such that said brace members are angularly displaced from one another about said central post member and each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member.

144. (withdrawn) The system of claim 143 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a pair of ground anchor stakes each attached to an end of one of said brace members.

145. (withdrawn) The system of claim 144 wherein each of said ground anchor stakes has a stake portion extending inwardly toward said central vertical axis in a transverse relation from said one of said brace members such that said stake portion is insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said ground anchor stake on an opposite side thereof from said stake portion.

146. (withdrawn) The system of claim 143 wherein said corner post fixture further includes a step bracket anchor stake attached to an end of said central post member, said step

bracket anchor stake having an angled step portion and a stake portion insertable into the ground segment by stepping on said angled step portion.

147. (withdrawn) The system of claim 143 wherein said corner post fixture further includes at least one wire securing device mounted on said central post member.

148. (withdrawn) (New MPF claim of claims 46, 74) A portable fencing system useful for forming a barricade, said system comprising:

- a corner post fixture means having a central post member removably anchorable on a ground segment, said corner post fixture means functioning to provide an end of the barricade;

- at least one length of fence wire means functioning to provide tension on said corner post fixture means when secured thereto and tightened, said corner post fixture means having means for securing said fence wire means thereto; and

- said corner post fixture means further comprises a rigid positionable brace member having anchor means functioning to secure said corner post fixture means at a shallow ground penetration depth, wherein the rigid positionable brace member is located outbound from the fence wire means, wherein the central post member goes into compression and the brace member anchor means is pulled against the ground segment when said length of fence wire means is tightened.

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150. (withdrawn) (New MPF claim of claim 118) A corner post fixture useful in a portable fencing system, comprising:

- a central post member means functioning to provide an end of a barricade, said central post member means having an anchor stake means attached to a ground end thereof;

a pair of brace member means functioning to support said central post member means, each pair of brace member means depending at an acute angle from the central post member means;

a pair of support bracket means each separate from the other and independently adjustably mounted on said central post member means between opposite ends thereof, each of said brace member means being pivotally mounted to one of said support bracket means, each of said support bracket means functioning to angularly displace said brace member means from one another about said central post member means such that each can be extended outwardly and downwardly at an acute angle relative to said central post member means; and

said anchor stake means functioning to secure said central post member means at a shallow ground penetration depth;

wherein the stake means is insertable into a ground surface without rotation; and

wherein the brace member means are placed in tension to support the central post member means when a force is applied away from the brace member means.

151. (withdrawn) (Method claim) A method for installing a portable fencing system to provide an enclosure, the method comprising the steps of:

providing a desired location for an enclosure;

removably anchoring at least one corner post fixture having a central post member and a rigid positionable brace member with an anchor on a ground segment at the desired location for the enclosure;

providing at least one length of fence wire, said corner post fixture having means for securing said fence wire thereto,

positioning said corner post fixture at a shallow ground penetration depth, wherein the rigid positionable brace member is located outbound from the enclosure, wherein the central post member goes into compression and the brace member anchor is pulled against the ground segment when said length of fence wire is tightened.

152. (withdrawn) The method of claim 151 further comprising the step of removably anchoring a winch corner fixture having a main support frame on a ground segment for providing an end of the enclosure, said winch corner fixture having at least three mounting portions angularly displaced from one another about a central vertical axis of said main support frame and having a plurality of at least three spaced apart leg members each pivotally mounted to one of said mounting portions such that said leg members can be set up in a tripod configuration about said central vertical axis of said support frame with said leg members angularly displaced from one another about said central vertical axis at the same angular displacements of said mounting portions of said support frame from one another, said winch corner fixture having means for securing said length of fence wire thereto.

153. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of securing a portion of the length of fence wire to a winch corner fixture anchor bracket.

154. (withdrawn) The method of claim 153 further comprising the step of removably anchoring at least one spacer post having a post backbone and a ground anchor stake mounted to an end of said post backbone on a ground segment, said spacer post locatable between and spaced from said winch corner fixture and said corner post fixture, said spacer post having means for engaging said fence wire.

155. (withdrawn) The method of claim 151 further comprising the step of anchoring the corner post fixture by inserting said corner post fixture anchor stake into a hole in a support base member and attaching said mounting point device means functioning to support and thereby assist setting up of said corner post fixture on a ground segment of a character lacking in strength normally required to accommodate the setting up of said fixture.

156. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of anchoring the winch corner fixture by inserting said winch corner fixture anchor stake into a hole in a support base member and attaching said mounting point device means functioning to support and thereby

assist setting up of said winch corner fixture on a ground segment of a character lacking in strength normally required to accommodate the setting up of said fixture.

157. (withdrawn) The method of claim 155 further comprising the step of extracting said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

158. (withdrawn) The method of claim 156 further comprising the step of extracting said mounting point device means from the ground segment.

159. (withdrawn) The method of claim 151 further comprising the step of placing at least one anchor stake of the corner post fixture in an end means of a surface mounting device comprising a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes, said anchor stake located at a ground end thereof, thereby supporting and assisting setup of said corner post fixture on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

160. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of placing at least one anchor stake of the winch corner fixture in an end means of a surface mounting device comprising a lower member and an upper member pivotally mounted to one end of said lower member, said lower member having an end means functioning to receive one of said anchor stakes, said anchor stake located at a ground end thereof, thereby supporting and assisting setup of said winch corner fixture on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

161. (withdrawn) The method of claim 154 further comprising the step of placing said spacer post anchor stake in a central hole of a mounting block of a surface mounting device, to support and thereby assist setup of said spacer post on a ground segment of a character where penetration is not possible or permitted.

162. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of mounting a winch assembly upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof.

163. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of mounting a winch assembly having a first and second strand of fence wire extended therefrom, said first strand secured to a first position on said corner post fixture and tied to a selected one of said fence wire brackets, and said second strand secured to a second position on said corner post fixture and tied to a selected one of said fence wire brackets.

164. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of mounting a pair of winch assemblies upon said main support frame above said mounting portions thereof.

165. (withdrawn) The method of claim 152 further comprising the step of removably anchoring a plurality of winch corner fixtures to provide a desired length of fence wire for said system.

166. (withdrawn) The method of claim 151 further comprising the step of electrifying said length of fence wire.